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## **PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

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**1994-Present**            **Construction Industry Consultant - Mediator/Arbitrator/Dispute Review Board Member**

**1957-1993**            **J.H. Pomeroy & Co., Inc. and Subsidiaries**  
1980-1993      **President & CEO**  
1977-1980      **Senior Vice President & General Manager**  
1971-1977      **Vice President, Construction Operations**  
1957-1971      **Field Engineer, Estimator, Superintendent, Project Manager, Division Manager**

**1956-1957**            **MacDonald, Young & Nelson, Inc. - Field Engineer**

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## **CONSTRUCTION EXPERIENCE**

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**Licensed Contractor, State of California – Class A General Engineering and Class B General Building. From 1977 through 1993 was directly responsible for the operation of the Construction, Foundation and Concrete Products Divisions of his company and its subsidiaries. The company has appeared on the *Engineering News Record* list of the largest 400 contractors in the United States. Projects involved the following disciplines:**

### **Construction**

**Cofferdams, concrete bridges, earth retention systems, industrial buildings, jails, parking garages, deep foundations, sewers, slurry walls, subaqueous pipelines & tunnels, water & sewage treatment facilities, wharves.**

### **Manufacture of Precast – Prestressed Concrete Products**

**Foundation and sheet piling, large diameter concrete pipe, railroad ties. Structural elements for: parking garages, jails, industrial buildings, wharves and bridges.**

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## **ARBITRATION & MEDIATION EXPERIENCE**

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**Broad experience in arbitration and mediation of construction-related disputes as an active arbitrator, mediator, and disputes-resolution board member. Among the first group of construction professionals to receive mediation training by the American Arbitration Association. Currently a member of the six-person California Public Works Arbitration Committee that is responsible for managing the public works arbitration system in California. Has had a high degree of success in fact-finding and achieving mediation settlements. Arbitrated/mediated disputes involving intent of contract documents, disputes between owner, architect and contractor, disputes between contractor, subcontractors and material suppliers, and disputes between subcontractors. Has also arbitrated/mediated disputes involving labor contracts. Lectures on subjects relating to construction disputes resolution.**

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## **EDUCATION**

Oregon State University  
Bachelor of Science, 1954.  
University of California  
Certificate Programs in Accounting, Business Law, Structural and Soils Engineering.  
The Wharton School  
Certificate Program in Finance and Accounting.

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## **ALTERNATIVE DISPUTE RESOLUTION TRAINING**

### **American Arbitration Association:**

Annual Arbitrator Update 2003 to present; Construction Arbitrator II Training 2001; Construction Arbitrator Training 1996; ADR Seminar 1996; Mediator Training 1992; Advanced Commercial Arbitration Training 1990; Basic Arbitrator Training 1990.

### **State of California Department of Transportation:**

Dispute Review Board Administration and Practice 1999, 2005, 2006.  
Dispute Review Board Chairing 2002, 2004.

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## **INDUSTRY & PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS**

American Arbitration Association – Construction Mediator and Arbitrator.  
American Society of Civil Engineers – Life Member.  
Associated General Contractors of America – Director, 1987-1993.  
Associated General Contractors of California – President, 1986.  
Public Works Contract Arbitration Committee, State of California –  
Gubernatorial Appointment, 1992-present.  
Pile Driving Contractors Association – President, 1973-1975.  
The Beavers – President, 1995.  
Dispute Resolution Board Foundation, 2003-present.

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## **OTHER AFFILIATIONS**

Belvedere Cove Foundation – Officer and Director, 1990-present.  
Edgewood Children's Home – Director, 1976-1984.  
San Francisco Yacht Club – Commodore, 1976-1978.  
United States Sailing Association – Senior Judge, 1981-2001.  
U.S. Coast Guard Advisory Committee – 1982-1986.  
U.S. Department of Transportation – Presidential Task Force, 1980-1981.  
William Kreysler & Associates, Inc. – Director, 1984-present.

**MATTHEW B. McGOWAN**  
**Dispute Review Board Experience**

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| 1. Benicia Bridge Retrofit<br>Parties:  | DRB Member<br>Caltrans & FCI-Interbeton, Inc.              |
| 2. New Carquinez Bridge<br>Parties:   | DRB Member<br>Caltrans & FCI/Cleveland Bridge              |
| 3. Crockett Interchange<br>Parties:   | DRB Member<br>Caltrans & C.C. Myers, Inc.                  |
| 4. New Benicia Bridge<br>Parties:   | DRB Member<br>Caltrans & Kiewit Pacific, Inc.              |
| 5. 780/680 Interchange Benicia<br>Parties:  | DRB Member<br>Caltrans & C.C. Myers, Inc.                  |
| 6. Highway 29 at Trancas Interchange in Napa<br>Parties:  | DRB Member<br>Caltrans & R & L Brosamer, Inc.              |
| 7. Marina Vista at Mococco Interchange, Martinez<br>Parties:  | DRB Member<br>Caltrans & FCI Constructors, Inc.            |
| 8. Maxwell Bridge Replacement - Napa<br>Parties:  | DRB Member<br>Caltrans & C.C. Myers, Inc.                  |
| 9. Tuers-Capital Project - San Jose<br>Parties:   | DRB Chair<br>City of San Jose & Granite Construction, Inc. |
| 10. Central Freeway Extension San Francisco<br>Parties:   | DRB Chair<br>Caltrans & Proven Management, Inc.            |
| 11. San Francisco-Oakland Bay Bridge<br>4 <sup>th</sup> Street Ramp Widening, San Francisco<br>Parties: | DRB Member<br>Caltrans & R & L Brosamer, Inc.              |
| 12. San Francisco-Oakland Bay Bridge<br>Treasure Island Bypass<br>Parties:                              | DRB Member<br>Caltrans & C.C. Myers, Inc.                  |
| 13. Wetlands Mitigation – Benicia<br>Parties:   | DRB Member<br>Caltrans & FCI Constructors, Inc.            |

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Dispute Review Board Experience  
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14. I-880 Mission Boulevard Interchange,  
San Jose  
Parties:

DRB Member

Caltrans & DeSilva Gates Construction Inc/JCI (JV)

15. San Francisco-Oakland Bay Bridge  
Fender System Replacement  
Parties:

DRB Member

Caltrans & California Engineering Constructors, Inc.

16. Demolition of 1927 Carquinez Bridge  
Parties:

DRB Member

Caltrans & California Engineering Constructors, Inc.

17. Widen HOV Lane  
Install Tied Back Retaining Wall  
Highway 80 at Hercules  
Parties:

DRB Member

Caltrans & C.C. Myers

18. Russian River Bridge Replacement  
Highway 128 at Gyserville  
Parties:

DRB Member

Caltrans & C.C. Myers

19. Devil's Slide Segmental Bridge  
Highway 1 at Pacifica  
Parties:

DRB Member

Caltrans & Disney Construction

20. Richmond-San Rafael Bridge  
Deck Resurfacing, Highway 80  
Parties:

DRB Member

Caltrans & California Engineering Constructors, Inc.

21. Highway 101 Pavement Overlay to  
Palo Alto from Highway 87  
Parties:

DRB Member

Caltrans & Pavex Division of Granite Rock

22. Highway 205 Widening near Tracey  
Parties:

DRB Member

Caltrans & O.C. Jones/C.C. Myers (JV)

23. Highway 238/580 Widening near Hayward  
Parties:

DRB Member

Caltrans & FCI Constructors

24. Presidio Viaduct Repairs at  
Doyle Drive-San Francisco  
Parties:

DRB Member

Caltrans & California Engineering Constructors, Inc.